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SUBJECT: LESOTHO NOT BOYCOTTING OAU SUMMIT

SOUTH AFRICAN RADIO HAS STARTED REPORTING THAT KING MOSHOESHOE II HAS JOINED NYERERE, HOUPHET BOIGNY, MACHEL, KAUNDA, AND KHAMA IN BOYCOTTING OAU SUMMIT BECAUSE OF DISAPPROVAL OF AMIN REGIME. THESE REPORTS PURE SPECULATION AND IN NO WAY BASED ON FACT. KING MOSHOESHOE, WHO CURRENTLY ON STATE VISIT TO LIBERIA, WOULD NOT HAVE ATTENDED SUMMIT REGARDLESS OF WHERE IT HELD, NOR HAS HE DONE SO IN PAST. IN FACT, LEVEL OF LESOTHO'S DELEGATION TO KAMPALA IS CONSISTENT WITH PAST PRACTICE; IT IS HEADED BY DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER AND INCLUDES FOREIGN MINISTER AND OTHER RANKING GOL OFFICIALS. LESOTHO IS NOT LIKELY TO TAKE LEAD IN CRITICIZING AMIN REGIME BY ACT OR STATEMENT.
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